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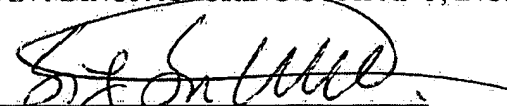
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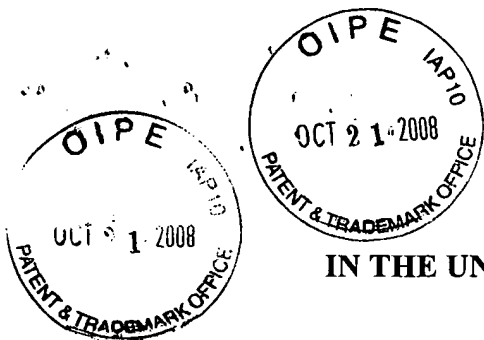
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In re Patent No. 6,032,898

Inventors: Kenneth H. LaCount et al.

Attorney Docket No. ALW-113REX

Assignee: Alwin Manufacturing Co.

Examiner: Eugenia Jones

Issued: March 7, 2000

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Title: MULTIPLE ROLL TOWEL DISPENSER

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Petitioner, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 and 1.323, petitions for issuance of a Certificate of Correction to United States Patent No. 6,032,898, issued on March 7, 2000.

Petitioner requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued correcting the following errors:

In the drawings, sheet 1, Fig. 2, reference numeral "22" on the sidewall of outwardly extending flange 24 should be deleted and reference numeral --27-- should be applied to the stamped portion;

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the rear wall of the chassis 55; reference numeral --57-- should be applied to the left-hand side spaced parallel side wall of chassis 55; reference numeral --38-- should be applied to the clip extending from the rear wall 32 of the housing 21.

In the drawings, sheet 1, Fig. 2, reference numeral --121-- should be applied to the drive roller segments of the drive roller 120.

In the drawings, sheet 1, Fig. 2, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; reference numeral --106-- should be applied to the shaft 106 of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --110-- should be applied to the transfer mechanism; reference numeral --112-- should be applied to the indented or removed portion of the cylindrical portion 111 of the shaft 106; reference numeral --115-- should be applied to the snap clip which receives the indented or removed portion 112 of the cylindrical portion 111 of the shaft 106.

In the drawings, sheet 3, Fig. 6, the reference numeral "50" (not the reference numeral "50" pointing to the cover) should be deleted and reference numeral --51-- should be applied to the front panel of the cover 50.

In the drawings, sheet 4, Fig. 10, the reference numeral "131" pointing to the free end of the flight of paper 131 should be deleted and the reference numeral --132-- should be applied to the free end of the flight of paper 131.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 11, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; reference numeral --107-- should be applied to the journal on the right-hand end of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --108-- should be applied to the

journal on the left-hand end of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --109-- should be applied to the stop plate on journal 108; and reference numeral --110-- should be applied to the transfer mechanism positioned generally centrally of the shaft of the transfer roller assembly 105.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 12, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; reference numeral --106-- should be applied to the shaft of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --107-- should be applied to the journal on the right-hand end of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --108-- should be applied to the journal on the left-hand end of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --110-- should be applied to the transfer mechanism positioned generally centrally of the shaft 106; and reference numeral --111-- should be applied to cylindrical portion of the shaft 106.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 13, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; and reference numeral --106-- should be applied to the shaft of the transfer roller assembly.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 14, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; reference numeral --106-- should be applied to the shaft of the transfer roller assembly 105; reference numeral --110-- should be applied to the transfer mechanism positioned generally centrally of the shaft 106; and reference numeral --112-- should be applied to the indented or removed portion of the cylindrical portion 111 of the shaft 106.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 15, reference numeral --105-- should be applied to the transfer roller assembly; and reference numeral --116-- should be applied to the groove or

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receptacle of the cylindrical portion 111 of the shaft 106.

In the drawings, sheet 5, Fig. 16, reference numeral --95-- should be applied to the tear bar; reference numeral --95a-- should be applied to the tabs of the tear bar 95; reference numeral --95b-- should be applied to the clips of the tear bar 95; reference numeral --95c-- should be applied to the serrated edge of the tear bar 95; and section line 17—17 should be added at the middle portion of the drawing at the top and bottom thereof.

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In column 8, claim 4, line 48, delete “complimentary” and insert --complementary--.

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Remarks

This Petition for Certificate of Correction is made pursuant to 37 CFR §1.322 and 1.323. The Petition requests corrections in spelling, punctuation, verb form, units terminology and certain numbers (or missing numbers) in ten of the figures. All corrections are in keeping with what is understood by persons in the art based on the content of the patent as issued. All corrections requested are supported by the specification, drawings and claims of the '898 Patent and do not add any new matter or broaden the disclosure or claims of the '898 Patent.

Regarding the insertion of "pounds force" for "psi" in claim 3 and elsewhere, claim 3 itself speaks of "force," and the force unit is, of course, "pounds force." The correction to "pounds force" is not only fully consistent with the use of the term "force" in claim 3, but is also consistent with the twice referenced ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990) standard (mentioned at col. 1, lines 22-24 and at col. 1, lines 38-41)¹ which, as is well known to those in the art, refers to pounds force (abbreviated "lbf") as the unit of measure.

Regarding the figures, petitioner has submitted herewith a red-line version of the figures requiring correction and replacement sheets for those figures. Additions to the figures are shown in red and are circled. Deletions are in red and are marked with an "X." Regarding Figures 2 and 11-17, the figures as filed included numerous part numbers which were not shown in the issued patent. Figures 6 and 10 have been amended to correct a reference number, as noted. Such changes do not constitute new matter.

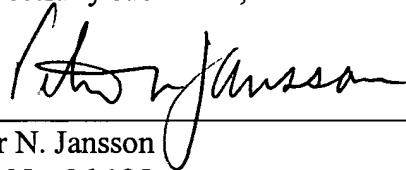
¹As known in the art, section 4.27.4 of the ADA guidelines, in pertinent part, states as follows: "The force required to activate controls shall be no greater than 5 *lbf*" (emphasis added)

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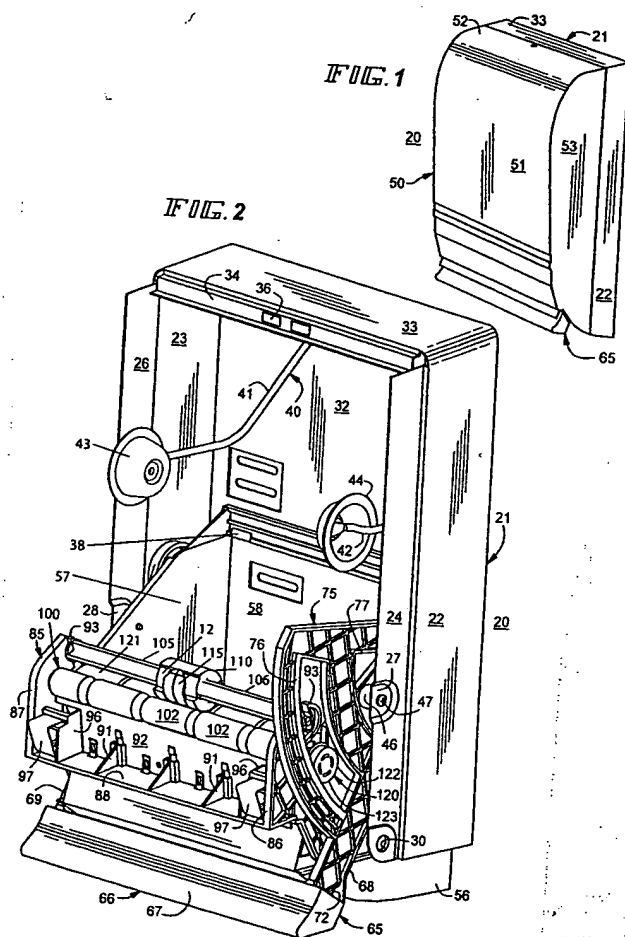
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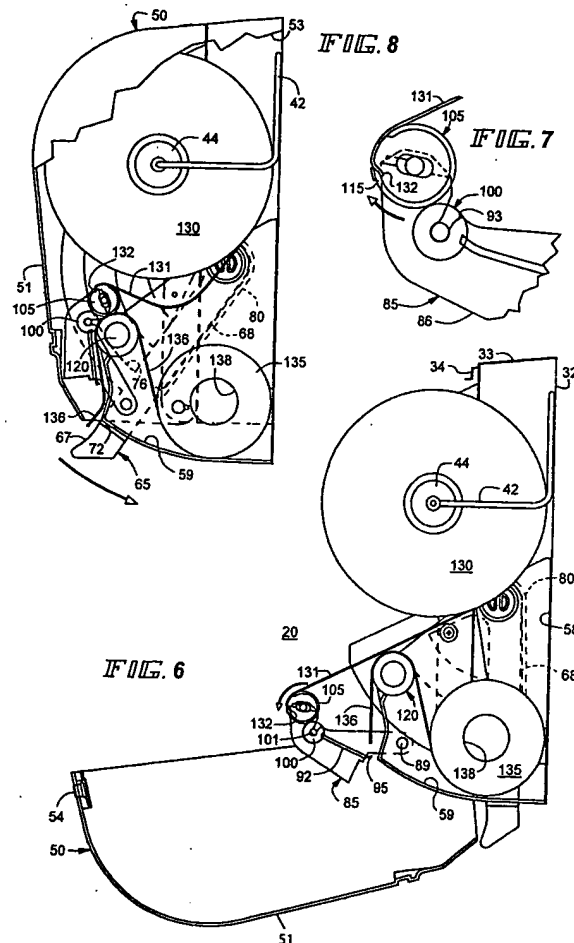
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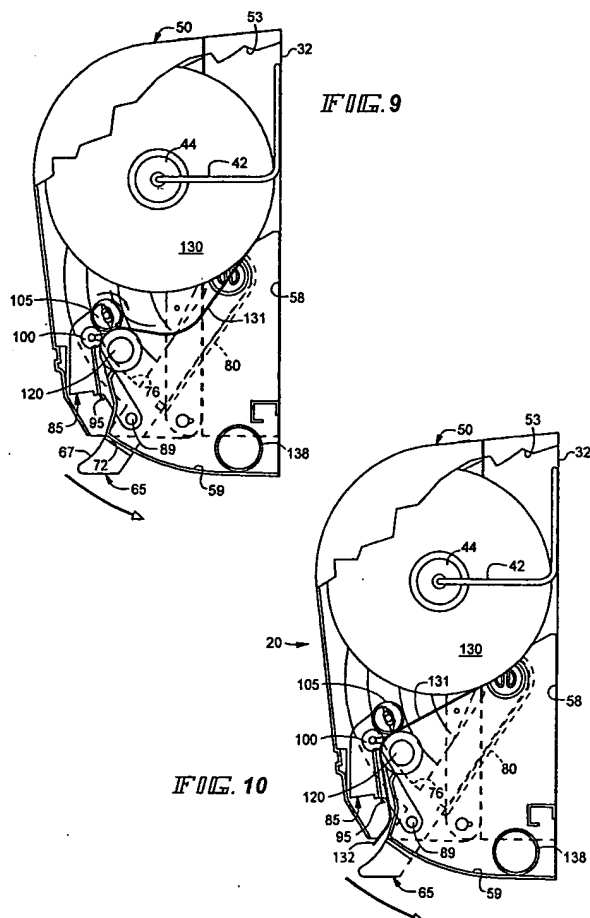
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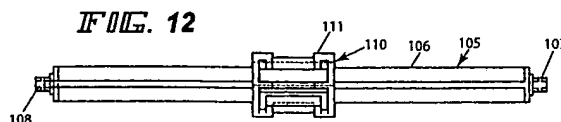
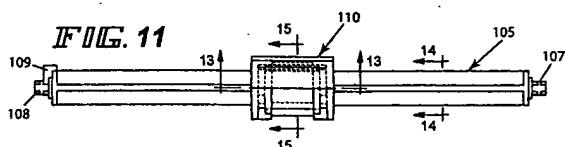


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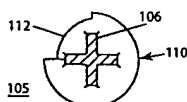


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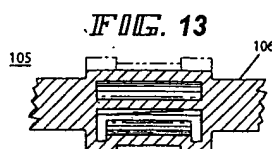
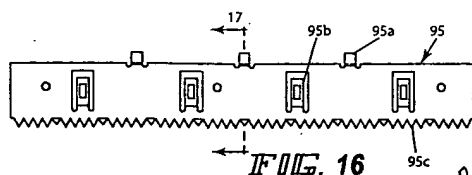
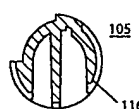
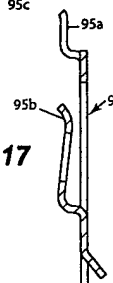


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FIG. 1

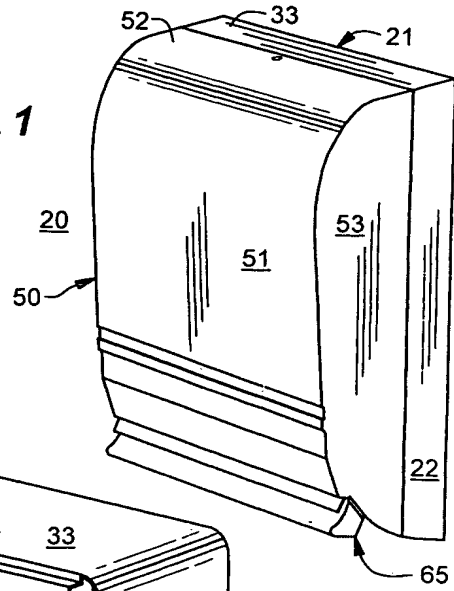
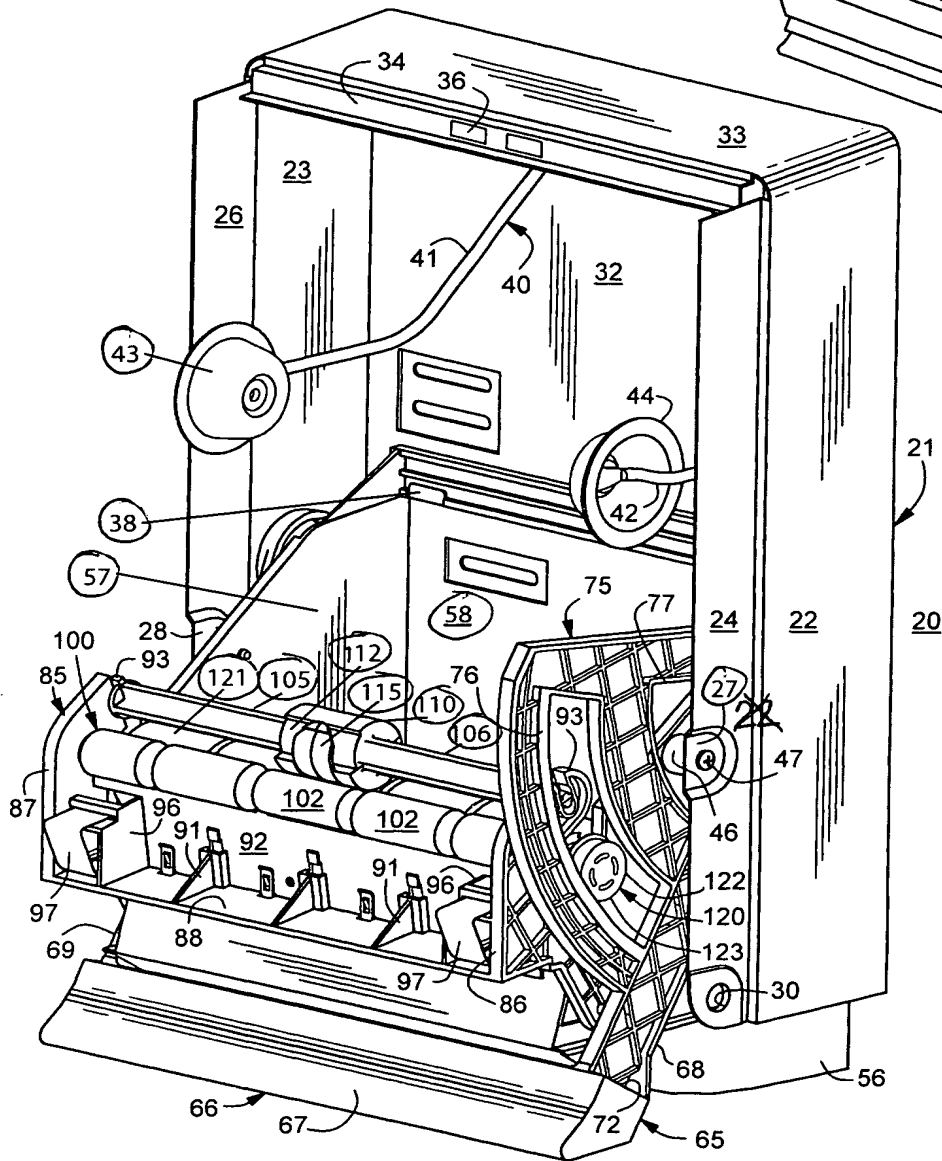


FIG. 2



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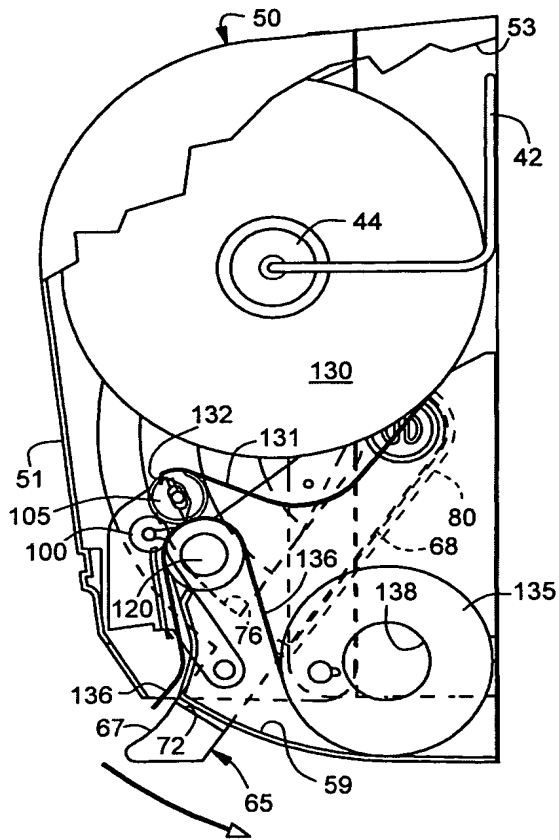


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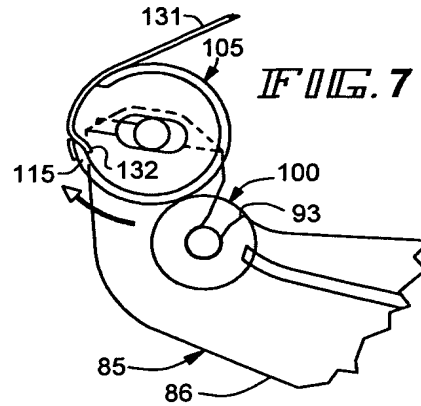
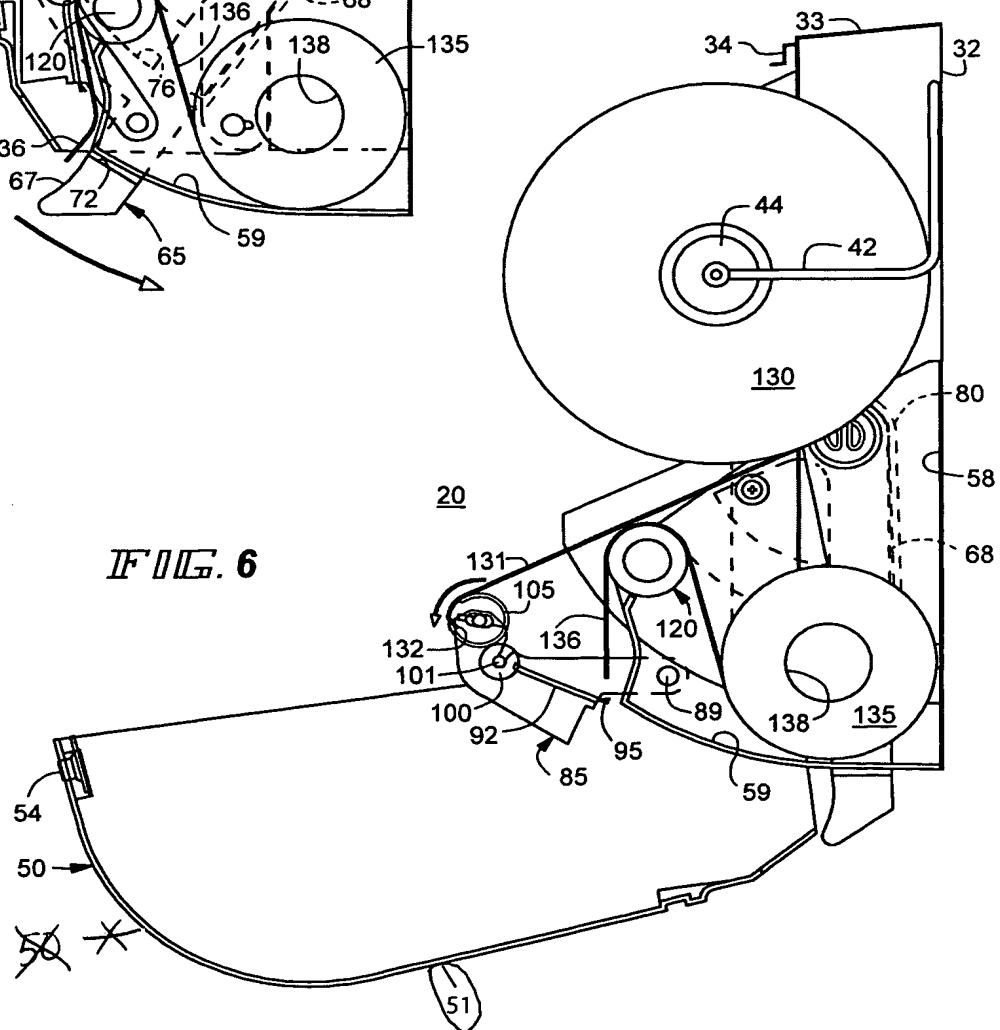


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FIG. 6



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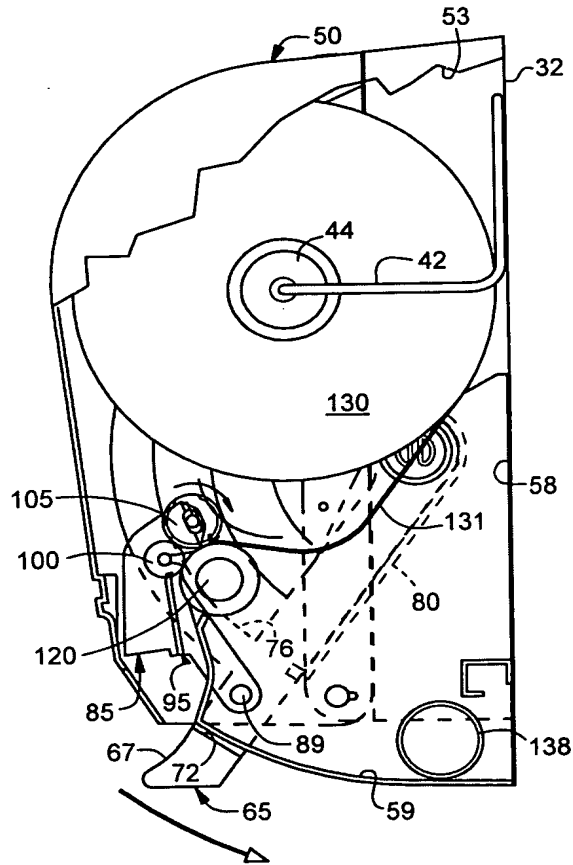


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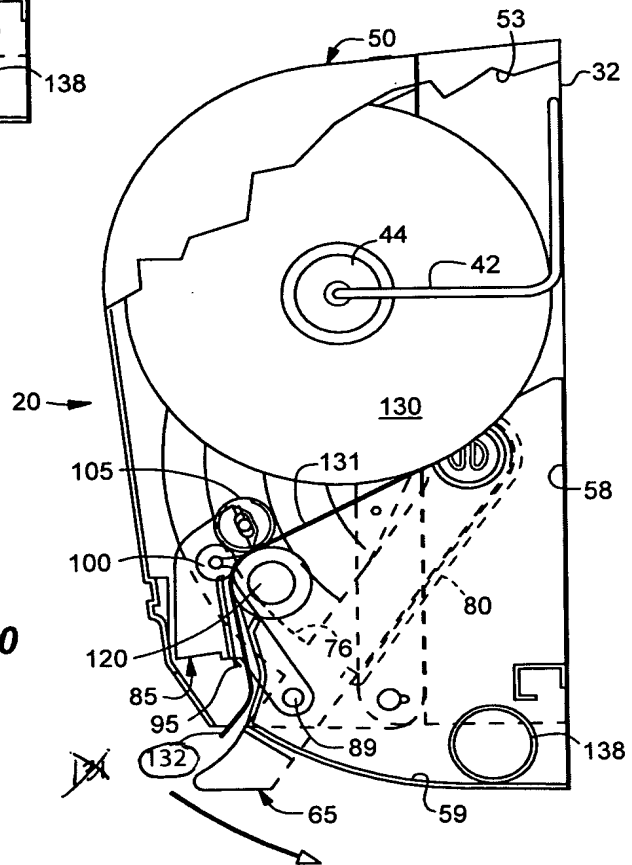
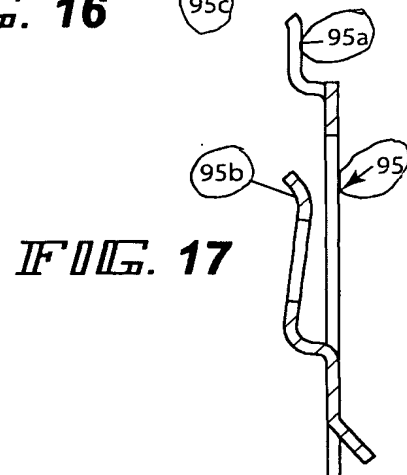
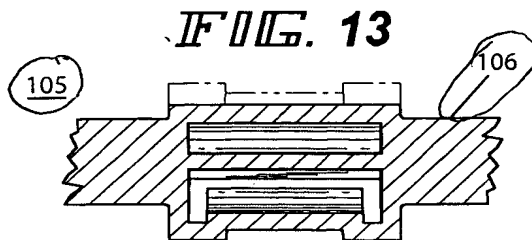
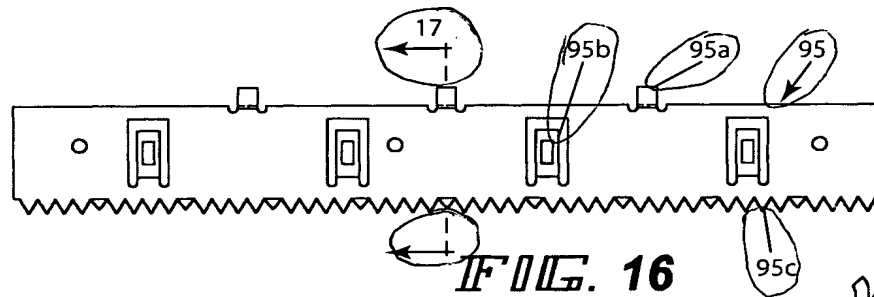
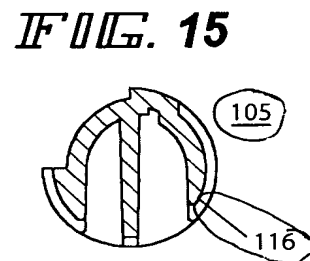
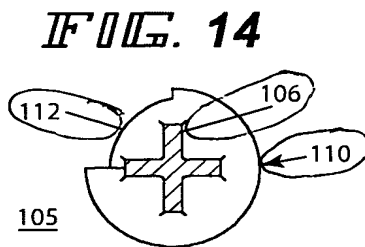
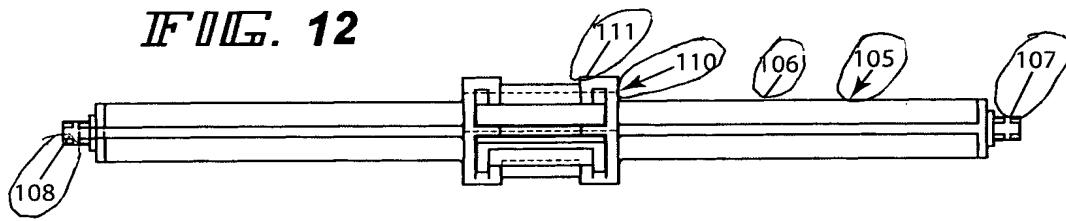
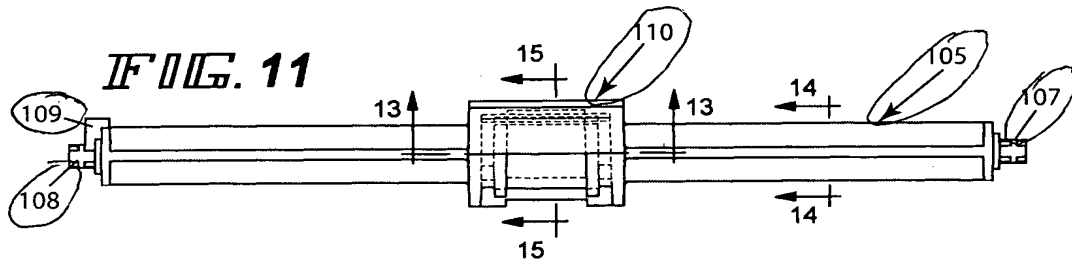


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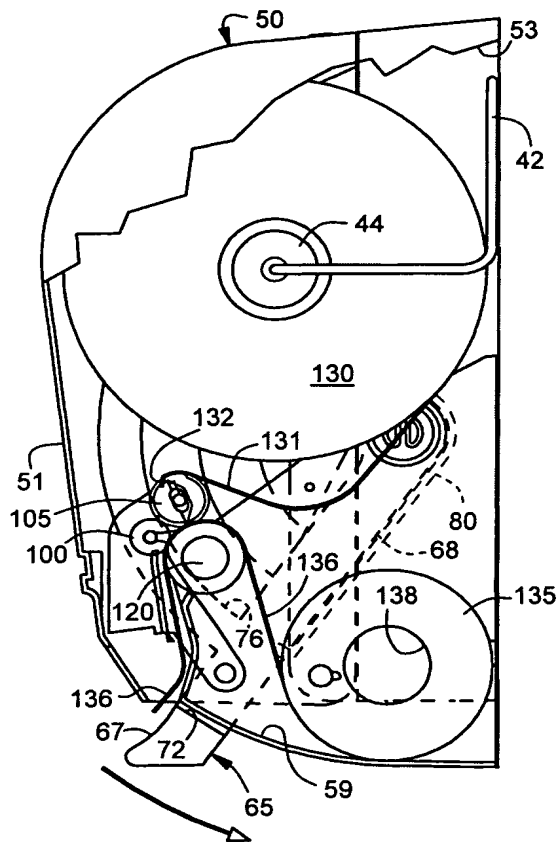


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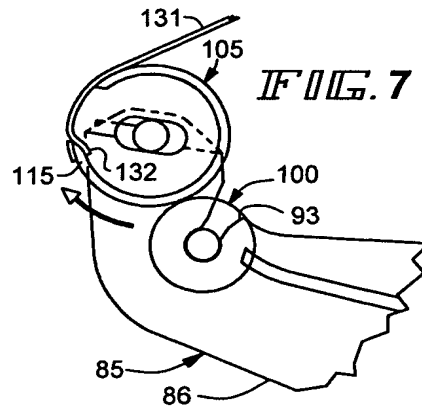


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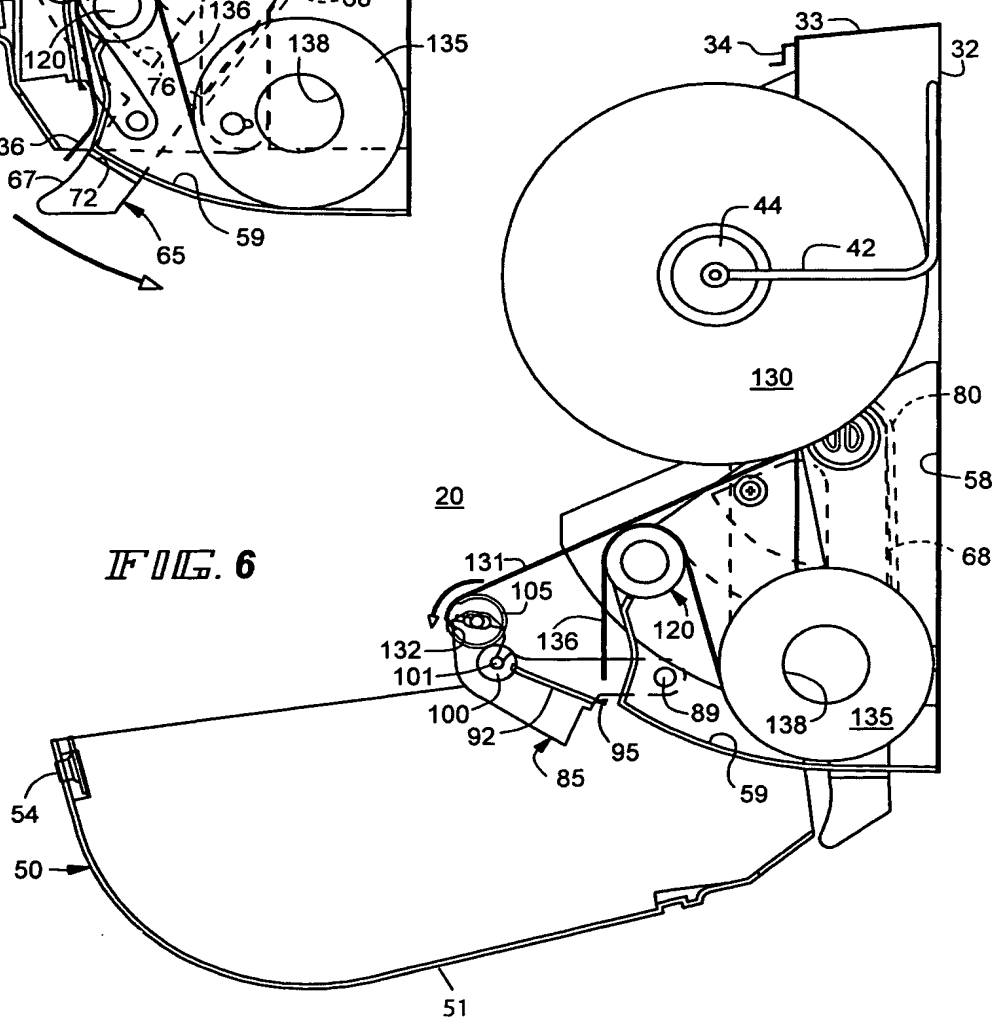


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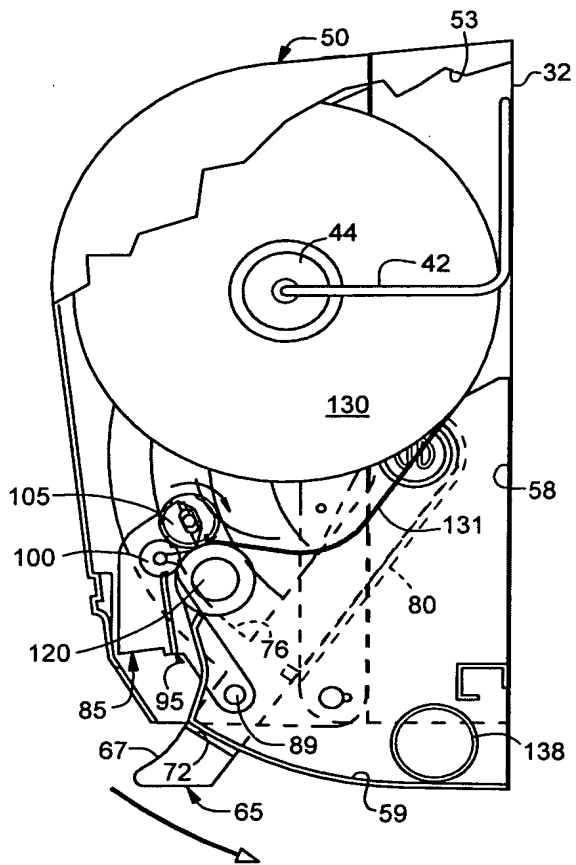


FIG. 9

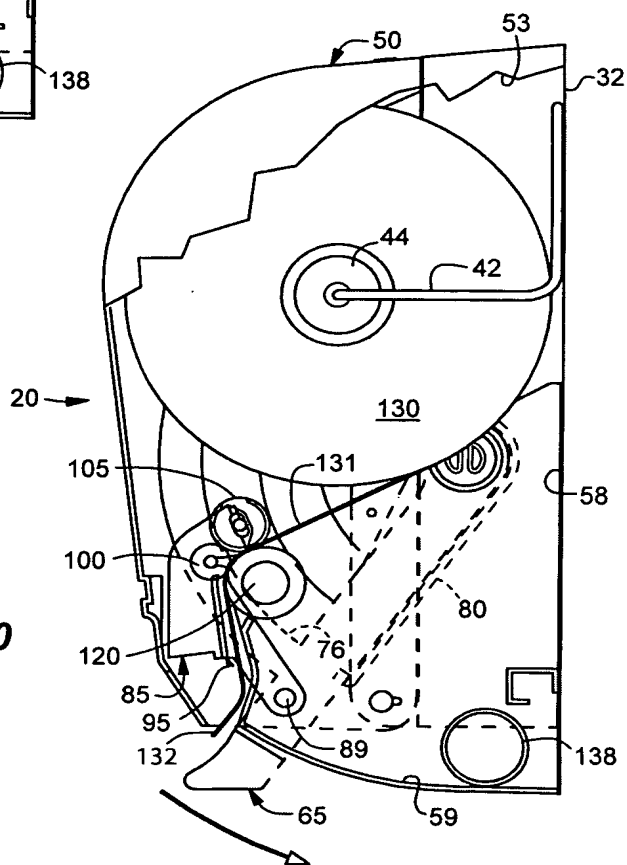


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